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Group Art Unit: 1641

Title: CONTAINERS FOR SUPPORTS COMPRISING BIOPOLYMERS

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(X) Other: Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.48 for Correcting Inventors (fee \$ 130.00 )

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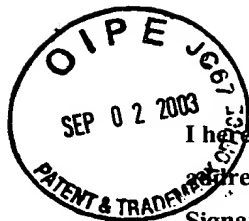
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Amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Introductory Comments

This is responsive to the Final Rejection in the Office Action dated July 2, 2003, from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified patent application.

This amendment is submitted in accordance with the "Revised Amendment Practice: 37 CFR 1.121 Changed, Compliance is Mandatory – Effective Date: July 30, 2003."

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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Amendment of Inventorship

Please amend the Inventorship for the present application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b) by deleting Richard O. Hilson and Edward P. Donlon.

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